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NPB ACCELERATED PAROLE REVIEW DECISION SHEET

Name

LEBLANC, DAVID

FPS

File No

Institution: [REDACTED]

TYPE OF REVIEW

PAPER

TYPE OF RELEASE(S)

DAY PAROLE - PRE RELEASE**FULL PAROLE - PRE RELEASE****ACCELERATED PAROLE REVIEW INIT.**
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OBSERVER(S)

NO Observer(s) present (except during Board Member deliberations)Excluded from part of hearing:
Reason:

ASSISTANT

NO Assistant presentNEW INFORMATION OR GIST OF CONFIDENTIAL INFORMATION SHARED WITH OFFENDER
Not Applicable

FINAL DECISION(S)

DAY PAROLE - PRE RELEASE DIRECTED

Dated

2007/03/09

Leave privileges as per Community-Based Residential Facility policy.

FULL PAROLE - PRE RELEASE DIRECTED

2007/03/09

SPECIAL CONDITION(S) IMPOSED AND PERIOD OF TIME FOR WHICH THEY
ARE VALID (Apply until the end of the release unless a fixed period of time is specified)

Status

ACCELERATED REVIEW DECISION

The Board is satisfied that there are no reasonable grounds to believe that, if released, you are likely to commit an offence involving violence before the expiration of your sentence, and directs your release at your Eligibility date.

BOARD MEMBERS' ASSESSMENT OF RISK Summary of factors considered significant in determining the risk of committing an offence involving violence before the expiration of the sentence:

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a) INDICATION OF BEHAVIOUR THAT DEMONSTRATES A POTENTIAL TO COMMIT AN OFFENCE INVOLVING VIOLENCE

You have been convicted of numerous non-violent offences that primarily fall within the theft, fraud and forgery realms. You explain your behavior and that of your partner and co-accused as those of desperate people. However, there was a break and enter you deny as well as an assault that has the markings of a robbery, despite having been prosecuted by way of summary conviction. The question becomes one of how far you are prepared to go to meet personal needs.

b) STRESSORS/FACTORS IN THE RELEASE ENVIRONMENT THAT COULD LEAD TO THE COMMISSION OF AN OFFENCE INVOLVING VIOLENCE, AND EFFORTS TO ADDRESS THESE STRESSORS/FACTORS

Despite being a "jack of all trades" you have been unemployed and unable to secure social assistance. Again, the issue is that of desperation and how far you are prepared to go given that there is no immediate change to your circumstances.

c) PSYCHIATRIC OR PSYCHOLOGICAL ASSESSMENTS RELEVANT TO THE POTENTIAL FOR THE COMMISSION OF AN OFFENCE INVOLVING VIOLENCE

Not applicable.

d) PROFESSIONAL OPINIONS REGARDING THE LIKELIHOOD OF THE COMMISSION OF AN OFFENCE INVOLVING VIOLENCE

Your Case Management Team supports your release in accordance with the accelerated parole criteria in light of the non-violent nature of your criminal history.

e) OTHER INFORMATION RELATED TO THE LIKELIHOOD OF THE COMMISSION OF AN OFFENCE INVOLVING VIOLENCE

A criminal records check has raised some question as to the exact extent of your criminal history. One part of it that suggests a previous assault conviction is denied and is presently being investigated.

DAY PAROLE/COMMUNITY-BASED RESIDENTIAL FACILITY LEAVE PRIVILEGES
(If applicable: Return to facility nightly or specify exceptions and provide reasons)

Leave privileges as per Community-Based Residential Facility (CBRF) policy.

REASONS FOR DECISION(S)

In assessing your case against the accelerated parole criteria the Board is mindful that your criminal behavior was that of a desperate man who could not see to it that legitimate means of meeting ones personal needs need not involve criminal behavior. That said, your actions were not particularly brazen and did not pose an immediate threat to any one person. However, you were convicted of assault and a review of the official records would suggest that intent may well have been to rob the victim. There is more to that story than "meets the eye". That said, your lifestyle is not otherwise criminalized and you have a limited and non-violent criminal history. Easily lead

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and lacking in problem solving does not necessarily increase the risk of violence.

BOARD MEMBERS' IDENTIFICATION AND ASSESSMENT OF FACTORS INDICATING A
POTENTIAL FOR NON-VIOLENT REOFFENDING

Anytime crime is chosen as an option because work is not readily available and social assistance has been discontinued strongly suggests you could easily make the same decision again. However, the support of a CBRF in the short term should mitigate that risk.

VOTE(S)

DAY PAROLE - PRE RELEASE BOARD MEMBER	DIRECTED O'BRIEN , PAT	Dated 2007/03/09
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SIGNATURE(S)

O'BRIEN , PAT

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